MR. FROHMAN'S FIRE.

Mysterious Blaze in the Theatrical Manager's Residence.

Elegant Hallway and Walting-Room Ruined by the Flames.

the Columbus Avenue Distri

with a remarkably wide hall. Th _I is practically a waiting-room, and

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New Ellectric Buoys at the Bar. The Western Union cable steamer and the Lighthouse Department steamers John Rodgers and Gardenia are engaged to-day in laying an electric cable to connect the newly installed electric plant on Sandy Hook with the buoys in Gedney Channel. More lighted buoys will hereafter guide vessels across the bar.

Protty Miniature Liberty Bell. A minimure Liberty Bell, made from the ever-

GRACE'S SUCCESSOR.

Ex-Secretary Patrobild to Lond the "Administration Democracy." As the outcome of the meeting of the

held last evening at the headquarters, 26 East Twenty-third street, it is announced to-day that ex-Secretary Charles S. Fairchild is to assume the leadership of the organization in the place of ex-Mayor William R. Grace. The whole matter will be settled to night at the open meeting of the Executive Committee, when it is expected that Mr. Grace will come out in hearty

and Its Origin Puzzling.

that Mr. Grace will come out in hearty support of Mr. Fairchild.
Under the latter's leadership it is expected that the State Democracy will take an active part in State and National politics, beginning with the coming campaign. One of the questions which will come up to-night is the defining of the position of the organization, and it is said that resolutions are being prepared indorsing President Cleveland's position on the money question, and a very narrow escape a death. To-day the Fire Marshal is investigating.

anager Frohman's house, 159 West entry-ninth street, is a five-story and sement terra cotta and granite buildwith a remarkably wide hall. The

HARBURGER AGAIN ELECTED.

Saturday to go to Washington, and before he left he admitted to a close friend
that he intended to be at the conference.
If Foraker went at Flatt's invitation,
and it is said that he did, it means that
the conference was not favorable to
McKinley, for Foraker's enmity to McKinley is well known.
"What a time I have had with Ohio
men," Platt is said to have sighed recently. "There was Hayes, then Garfield and now Mayor Strong, all from
Ohio, and I suppose there are more to
follow."

Assaulted by an Unknown Man. At 2.15 o'clock this morning Fred Soyder, of 744 East One Hundred and Forty-fifth street, was assaulted on One Hundred and Twenty-sixth street, near Third avenue, by an unknown man. Snyder was sent to Harlem Hospital with a se-vere scalp wound.

'THE WORLD" VALOR MEDALS

Three of the Twelve to Go to Park Policemen.

Commissioners Will Select the Mer to Wear Them.

Commissioners Havens and Rossevel were designated by the Park Board today to select the three park policeme to whom shall be awarded three of the twelve gold medals donated by "The World" for deeds of valor or humanity done by public service in New York or amend his answer in the case on trial so as to include the above points.

Brooklyn. Three of these medals go Judge Dugro denied the motion, but to the municipal police of New York, three to the park police, three to the park police park police. twelve gold medals donated by "The

W. Gilder, President of the Tenement-House Commission, was requested to arrange for a conference between the Park, Health and Educational Boards to consider park improvements generally.
Dr. Tarleton H. Bean, Superintendent of the Aquarium, presented to the Park Board this morning a report cailing for

he immediate expenditure of \$33,500 for ecessary repairs to the Aquartum. The report was accepted, and Dr. Bean

Cittle Hirschfield, of 150 Ridge

bishop Corrigan in St. Mary's Catholic Church, Yonkers, were brought to Folice Headquarters to-day They were recognized as John Barry and William J. Corey, professional pick-pockets, whose pictures are in the Reques' Gal-lery. The former has served ten years and the other four years in prison.

ITS ACTS ILLEGAL?

Lawyer Nadal Brings the Constitutional Convention Into Court. The question of the legality of the acts

rention had not been properly adver-

Singer Accepted Coin Thrown on the Stage and Was Discharged. At the Royal Music Hall. One Hunared and Twenty-minth street and Third avenue, last evening, the song and-dance artist, "Little Helen," sang a song in such an acceptable manner that the audience seated at tables in the the audience seated at tables in the place showered a large quantity of coin on the stage. "Little Helen" at the conclusion of her song picked up the coin and left the stage. She did not respond to a vigorous encore which was kept up for fully ten minutes. She finally came out on the stage and indignantly announced that the managers had discharged her.

At this nearly everybody in the house hissed and left the place. On the sidewalk tey denounced the management, and finally the bouncer of the place went out to quiet them. He badly treated six men, and then the crowd turned on him and were using him roughly when two policemen broke trough the crowd which had by this time swelled to fully two thousand, and after hard work succeeded in quieting the disturbance. Those who had left the music hall refused to go back, and the place was almost totally deserted the remainder of the night.

East Broadway, last night. President labor and so little damage by Beth Low made an address. The exhibition is under the management of the University Settlement Society and the Educational Alliance.

This afternoon the exhibition will be thrown open free to the public, and will continue until June 8, from 1 to 10 P. M. each day, Sundays included.

Among the most prominent lenders of paintings are J. Pierpont Morgan, Charles Stewart Smith, S. P. Avery, Jr., Henry Holt, M., Knoedler & Co., William Schaus, Edward J. King, Jr., Henry Holt, M., Knoedler & Co., William Schaus, Edward J. King, Jr., H. G. Marquand, Jacob H. Schiff, Stanford White and Edward Simmons.

Beware of imitations. 698 JAMES PILE, N. T.

GREATER NEW YORK'S GREATEST

FOUGHT THE "PULLERS-IN."

Harrison Discharged Despite Stin ing's Kniffing Charges.

A small-sized riot occurred in Baxter of the Constitutional Convention was street this morning, and as a result raised in a case before Judge Dugro, in Robert W. Harrison, of 268 West Fifty-the Superior Court, to-day, by C. C. second street, was arrested by Patrol-Nadal, counsel for W. H. Arnott & Co., man Haggerty, of the Mulberry street contractors. Mr. Nadal contended that the delegates Court on a charge of felonious assault. to the Convention had not been properly Harrison went into Solomon Brod-elected, that the holding of the Con-sky's clothing store, 7 Baxter street, to look at some clothing. He was dissattised and that the proceedings of the issed and started to leave the store Convention had not been properly ap. when Joseph Stining, a "puller-tn," proved. For these reasons he declared struck him in the mouth. Harrison struck him in the mouth. Harrison consult me. If I cannot remove the blem-fought back, and the "pullers-in" from ish I will candidly tell you so. It shall several stores on the street, came rush-

blemishes of the skin cannot be removed this is because they have either not in Judge Dugro denied the motion, but said he would note the questions raised to that they might be dealt with on appeal.

The case before the Court was the suit of the widow of John McNeren against W. H. Arnott & Co. to recover \$5,000 damages for the death of her husband in November. 1892, who fell into an excavation at 495 and 497 Broadway, where the defendants were building a house.

M. S. Gulterman, counsel for the platniff, moved to increase the amount of damages prayed for to \$25,000, on the ground that Justice Patterson, in the Supreme Court, had held that under the new Constitution there was no limit to the amount which may be sued for, Judge Dugro granted the motion.

Mr. Nadal will appeal from Judge Dugro's decision.

RIOT AT A MUSIC HALL.

A singer Accepted Cois Throws on the Justice Martin discharged Harrison of Justice Martin discharged Harrison Justice Martin discharg "I am lucky to have escaped with my life," said he. Justice Martin discharged Harrison from custody and gave Stining a severe lecture on the way business is conducted in Baxter street.

A Letter just to hand says: "It is needless for me to ex-

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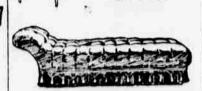
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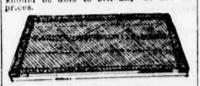
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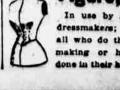
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